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In re application of : Schneewind et al.
App. No. : 09/292,437
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For : IDENTIFICATION OF
SORTASE GENE
Examiner : A. Navarro
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION in the above-identified application.

(X) An extension of time to respond for 3 month(s) is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	(\$55 small entity)
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	(\$200 small entity)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	(\$460 small entity)

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS FILED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	12	—	97	= 0 ×	\$9	= \$0
Independent Claims	2	—	10	= 0 ×	\$42	= \$0
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add					\$140	= \$0
Time Extension Fee						\$460
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$460

(X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

(X) Return prepaid postcard.

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- (X) A check in the amount of \$460 is enclosed.
- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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